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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated July 26, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application. While the shortened statutory period for response expired on August 26, 2007, Applicants hereby request a Petition for a one month extension of time and enclose the required fee to extend the period for response to September 26, 2007.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this document.